

## DATES TO REMEMBER

<b>Tuesday 27 October</b>	Stage 3 Learn to Surf
<b>Wednesday 28 October</b>	Year 6 Interrelate
<b>Tuesday 3 November</b>	Year 4 Interrelate
<b>Wednesday 4 November</b>	Year 5 Interrelate begins
<b>8-15 November</b>	NAIDOC week



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## PRINCIPAL NEWS

Hello everyone!

I sure picked a good week to be back at school. What a fantastic "Book Week"! Although, our book fair was virtual and we were unable to have parents on site for our usual parade, everyone had a fun day on Friday, showing their costumes off in their stage assemblies. The subsequent photos on seesaw and our facebook page have been a hit with the whole community. Great job to Mrs. Kershler for making all of the arrangements.

### External Validation

Last Thursday we were able to celebrate the completion of the school's external validation. We have been working on our submission all year, compiling evidence to show what we have achieved and evaluating our progress against the "School Excellence Framework". The panel was most impressed our presentation and what we have accomplished over the past 2 years. The panel convenor wrote:

*"External Validation is no small task to undertake and from the moment we commenced the meeting, it was clear that there was a strong sense of team, clarity of purpose and a collective responsibility for completing the work to the highest standard."*

*"I hope you have the opportunity to celebrate not only the end of the process but the validation of your judgements. As External Validation panel members, it was a privilege to learn about your school and the transformative work you are undertaking."*

### "Kinky Catch Up" - Facebook Live

My next Kinky Catch Up will be Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 12:00pm. I will be sharing information about our year end activities, kindy orientation, the new school build and other items of interest. See you live on Facebook, Monday week.

Thank you

Diana Foley  
PRINCIPAL



### An update from the PBL Team



This week in **PBL** we are revising how to **transition responsibly** around the school. With our new **split timetable**, we thought this was a good chance to remind our students to move **responsibly** and **respectfully** around the school, while other classes may still be working.

Our Kingy students have adapted so well to their new playtimes, and it has been fantastic to see our new Stage 3 **Playing and Learning (PaL) Leaders** organising and running activities for our Kindys and Year 1s.

We are lucky to have so many **kind**, **compassionate** and **competent** emerging leaders in our Stage 3 classes.

That's the week in PBL. Stay **safe**, **responsible**, **respectful** and **resilient**!



## CONGRATULATIONS



### PBL Winners Term 4 - Week 3

Poppy. H K/1F	Piper. H - K1/F
Flynn. M - 1M	Olivia. B - 3M
Belle. K - 3M	Asher. P - 4M
Hamish. R.— 4L	Jake. B — 5/6K



## UNIFORM SHOP

The KPS Uniform Shop has a variety of stock available for purchase and will be available until stock is sold out.

# Hurry!!! While stock last

**Shorts** - Sizes 2, 4, & 14+ available. (Limited Stock)

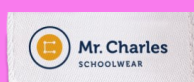
**Shirts** - Size 2, 4 & 14 Limited stock in size 12

**Skirts** - Size 6- 14.

Second-hand uniforms are also available from the school office.

If we do not have the item you are after, it can be ordered from Mr Charles through their website [www.mrcharles.com.au](http://www.mrcharles.com.au), phone 1800 810 182 or email [admin@mrcharles.com.au](mailto:admin@mrcharles.com.au).

Thank you.



## P&C News

Hi Kingy families

We wanted to share a couple of things that are happening at the moment.

- ◆ Each stage will be receiving some added resources within the next week or so that you have kindly helped to raise funds for over the past couple of years. Items ranging from art supplies to toys to assist your children with their learning and experiences within the classroom and playground.
- ◆ Thank you Sharee and Ingrid, who not only come along and share their ideas at our meetings but are also going to take part in the P & C at Kingscliff High School. At our recent meeting, Mr Hensley invited any parent, particularly those that have children starting High school next year, to come along. What a great way to get to know some families at the high school.
- ◆ Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday 16th November 4pm via 'Zoom', all parents and community members are welcome. Keep up to date with what is happening in the P & C by liking our Facebook page.
- ◆ We have a Christmas 'Gingerbread house' fundraiser planned and we encourage all families to participate. It will be a lot of fun for the kids, that's for sure. Notes will be going out soon!!  
..... and we are all about building community spirit and supporting local businesses by shopping locally. Keep posted for some fantastic Christmas shopping opportunities to #shop local

Thanks for your support!



## KIMP NEWS



It's hard to believe after the year we've had but we are already at that point of the year where we need to start thinking about KIMP 2021! In the next week or two we will be doing our annual KIMP Demonstrations for our current Year 2 students as well as current Year 3s who are not yet learning an instrument. Students will all bring home an 'Expression of Interest' form which will need to be returned to the office if they are interested in learning an instrument in 2021. I will then try them out on various instruments to see what they are most suited to and then allocate instruments for next year.

Existing KIMP students will just need to return a Re-enrolment form so I know they are continuing in 2021. These forms will come home in the next couple of weeks. If you have any questions please email me.

We are loving being back at band this term so thank you for all those early morning drop offs. I have been trying to take videos at rehearsals each week so you can see our progress throughout the term. Mr Walsh has also been singing the praises of his percussion students! The drumline that they worked on and performed for the Beach Towel Busking Day has had a huge impact on the levels of enthusiasm and practice amongst his students which is just fantastic.

Don't forget you should be seeing purple practice sheets at home and have your child asking you to sign it before they bring it back for their lesson day! It has been great this week to already see a number of students who have made a big effort to do more practice. It means they will enjoy it more and want to continue playing so please encourage them to keep filling it in at home.

Have a great week!

Nicky Cooper

## MENTAL HEALTH MONTH

Take a moment for you!  
Take a photo that represents your strength, resilience or happy place!



#TAKEAMOMENT4U

Take, tag and post your photo on Instagram!  
Spread the word!



## CANTEEN CORNER



A temporary canteen is operating in the former Learning Centre while the new canteen is under construction.



The canteen will be operating **TUESDAY to FRIDAY** with a revised menu. There are no burgers, pizza, lasagne or muffins. Menu's are available on School Stream and the school website. Due to the current situation, parents are not permitted to access the canteen. Parents can make payments at the office (2nd window), or online and provide your receipt number on your child's order. Children can deliver their pre-paid and cash orders to the canteen.

**The Canteen will be limited to Orders Only.  
There will be no sales over the counter.**

**REMINDER - CANTEEN CLOSED MONDAYS**

## Office News

### Early Pick-up

If you know in the morning your child will need to be picked up from school early could you please send a written note in with your child to the classroom teacher that morning. Alternatively, if you could phone in advance to enable us time to get your child to the office.

### Works Notification

From Monday 2 November there will be archaeological investigation works at the school as part of a required Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA). For more information please see works notification document on our website..

**OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.15pm**



**Thank You!**



### A Quick Bite ...

#### 5 Tips to Help With Screen Time at Home

Are you having trouble getting your child off technology or watching television?

Try some of these ideas to reduce the amount of screen time your child has each day:

- Go screen free for weekdays
- Try technology free Tuesdays
- Try imagination Wednesdays
- Restrict times on when your child has access such as "no screen time before dinner"
- Provide seven ½ hour vouchers on a Friday afternoon to last for the week. When your child watches the television, or plays on the computer they hand a voucher back. This limits the child to 3 1/2 hours of screen time over a week.



For more information visit

[mild.health.nsw.gov.au/keepinghealthy](http://mild.health.nsw.gov.au/keepinghealthy)



## Live Life Well @ School

### ACTION: BUILDING WELLBEING

#### ACTION CALENDAR:

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY

"Start Where You Are. Use What You Have. Do What You Can" ~ Arthur Ashe

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| 4. Focus on what you can do rather than what you can't do. | 5. Send friends a photo of a time you all enjoyed together.     | 6. Take a step towards one of your life goals, however small. | 7. Let someone you love know how much they mean to you.                  |
| 11. What are your most important values? Use them today.   | 12. Be grateful for the little things, even in difficult times. | 13. Today do something to care for the natural world.         | 14. Show your gratitude to people who are helping to make things better. |

Are you looking for ways to build happiness, mindfulness, purpose, kindness and self-care into your everyday practice at home?

Download the action for happiness calendars today. They provide simple and practical tips for the family to do together to help build a culture of wellbeing.

Check out:

[www.actionforhappiness.org/calendars](http://www.actionforhappiness.org/calendars)



Developed by Northern Sydney Local Health District

## School Travel for 2021



### 2021 school travel applications are now open

Applications for student travel in 2021 opened from Monday 12 October 2020.

Students who require a School Opal card or travel pass for 2021 can now [apply](#) online. A new application should be submitted if a student is applying for a school travel pass for the first time or requesting an additional pass as a result of a new shared parental responsibility situation (e.g. joint custody).

Students who have changed school/campus, changed address, repeated a year or received an expiry notification from Transport for NSW for their school travel entitlement should [re-apply or update their details](#).

\*Applications must be completed by the student's parent or legal guardian if the student is aged under 16 years. Students 16 years and over must complete the application form themselves.

Where there is a change of distance eligibility based on a student's grade, the system will automatically update a student's entitlement if they meet the new criteria. If they do not meet the new [eligibility criteria](#), they will receive an expiry notification via email.

Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply.

[Term Bus Pass](#) holders will receive a notification to re-apply.

If a student needs to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to <https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>

Applications need to be submitted before 31 December 2020 to ensure that current student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card remains valid. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2020, the system will automatically cancel an entitlement/card and a new one will need to be issued.

Students in the Opal network applying for a SSTS or Term Bus Pass entitlement for the first time will receive their card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out from January 2021.

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### How to download your Free app

1. From your mobile device go to the **App Store (iPhone/iPad)** OR **Google Play (Android)**, search for **School Stream** and download the app to your phone
2. Make sure you agree to **push notifications**
3. Once School Stream has finished installing, open the app, type your school name into the search **THEN** select your school.
4. Password is Kingy

For more detailed instructions go to [schoolstream.com.au/download](http://schoolstream.com.au/download)





# THIS WEEK AROUND THE SCHOOL

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